

Egremont Board of Health

Thursday, July 23, 2020, 10:00 am

Meeting held on Zoom

In Attendance: Charles Ogden, Chairman, Ellen Maggio

Recording: Juliette Haas, Director

- 1) Chairman Ogden called the meeting to order at 10:18 am. The minutes from the July 2, 2020 meeting were adopted (2-0).
- 2) **Straher/24 Lakeside Drive** Al Thorp, representing Mr. Straher, has requested septic and well information from abutting properties to aid in creating a comprehensive site plan. The board felt this demonstrates progress towards removing the falling down structure. The issue will be addressed again in September.
- 3) **Metzinger/154 Hillsdale Road** Homeowner reported being bitten by bat. Specimen was sent to state lab, but was deemed “unsatisfactory”. Homeowner will undergo rabies treatment.
- 4) **Walley/5 Prospect Lake Road** The board approved the septic system replacement plans submitted by Kelly, Granger and Parsons and granted a one foot reduction to estimated seasonal high ground water Local Upgrade Approval under maximum feasible compliance (2-0).
- 5) **Bronson/88 Hillsdale Road** The board approved the septic system replacement plans submitted by Kelly, Granger and Parsons and granted a one foot reduction to estimated seasonal high ground water Local Upgrade Approval under maximum feasible compliance.
- 6) **Ryan/28 Greenwood Circle** The board approved the septic system replacement plans submitted by Kelly, Granger and Parsons and granted a one foot reduction to estimated seasonal high ground water Local Upgrade Approval under maximum feasible compliance (2-0).
- 7) **Ehrenberg/72 Main Street** The board approved the revised septic system placement plans submitted by Accord Engineering.
- 8) **Food Inspections** Nancy Ruderman of the Berkshire Health Alliance performed inspections at the following food establishments: The Barn, The Old Mill, John Andrews, Swiss Hutte. Director Haas has reached out to the establishments for any necessary follow ups. The board asked Director Haas to inquire about smoking policies in restaurants with outdoor seating.
- 9) **COVID19** The board stated their concern of potential increases in confirmed cases from interstate travel and young people gatherings.
- 10) Meeting adjourned at 11:05. The August meeting schedule will be August 13th and 27th.

Approved
8/13/2020
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